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ARLINGTON, FRIDAY, NOV. 2, 1875.

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Amalgamation.

The Arlington Journal has absorbed the Saturday Gazette. It is a pretty and spicy journal, but a little more gentry and less severe personalities. Mr. Editor—Catholic Citizen.

We have adopted the policy of calling things by their right names, reflecting public opinion for the benefit of the people and our public men. We would not willingly drag any man's private life into print. We only deal with their official acts. These who use public life will not bear the test of newspaper criticism is unworthy of the support of the people.

THE OFFICIAL RESULT.

Meeting of the County Canvassers—
Laverty's Majority, 2,639; Halsted's, 982; McCague's, 3,649.

The Board of County Canvassers met at the County House, Jersey City, on Saturday afternoon, and canvassed the votes cast at the recent county election, with the following result, declaring the parties who received majorities elected to the respective positions for which they were candidates. Several votes showed the elective franchises to have been used in a spirit of humor. Henry Ward Beecher was the choice of three of our citizens for Director at Large, while an admirer of Miss Mary Kennedy gave evidence of his regard by trying to elect her to a Coronership. After appropriating \$150 for the clerk and \$25 for the messenger, and passing the usual votes of thanks, the Board adjourned sine die.

WHOLE NUMBER OF NAMES ON THE POLL.
LISTS.

First District	2,318
Second	2,433
Third	2,672
Fourth	2,704
Fifth	1,773
Sixth	2,142
Seventh	2,048
Eighth	2,063
Total	19,200

NUMBER OF BALLOTS REJECTED.

First District	13
Second	47
Third	11
Fourth	11
Fifth	11
Sixth	15
Seventh	25
Eighth	24
Total	161

VOTE FOR SHERIFF.

Laverty	1,125
McCague	1,124
First District	2,006
Second	376
Third	1,108
Fourth	1,146
Fifth	1,033
Sixth	1,055
Seventh	1,261
Eighth	1,018
Total	10,819

Laverty's majority, 2,639.
VOTE FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Halsted, Ingwersen.

First District	1,124
Second	1,200
Third	1,003
Fourth	1,185
Fifth	1,078
Sixth	1,152
Seventh	1,056
Eighth	1,120
Total	9,056

Halsted's majority, 982.
VOTE FOR SURROGATE.

McCague.

First District	1,020
Second	1,030
Third	1,145
Fourth	1,202
Fifth	1,048
Sixth	1,036
Seventh	1,056
Eighth	1,061
Total	11,296

McCague's majority, 3,649.

VOTE FOR CORONER.

First District	1,138
Second	1,113
Third	1,138
Fourth	1,078
Fifth	1,138
Sixth	1,138
Seventh	1,138
Eighth	1,138
Total	11,907

Gannon's majority over Benson, 367.
Gannon's majority over Bird, 388.

Gannon's majority over Congdon, 1,088.

Kous's majority over Bird, 380.

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Crane's majority over Benson, 388.

Crane's majority over Bird, 382.

Crane's majority over Congdon, 384.

VOTE FOR ASSEMBLYMAN.

First District—
Wm. A. Lewis,
Edward S. Smith.

Lewis's majority.

Second District—
Thomas J. McDonald.

Osvald A. Howe.

Hanson's majority over McDonald, 150.

Howe's majority over McDonald, 200.

Third District—
J. D. Carascale,
Thomas Regan.

Carascale's majority.

Fourth District—
Henry Brautigan,
Wm. A. Weeks.

Brautigan's majority.

Fifth District—
John J. Toffey,
F. W. Wykopp.

Toffey's majority.

Sixth District—
Thomas C. Brown,
Thomas Carty.

Brown's majority.

Seventh District—
F. F. Hale,
F. L. Schmerhorn.

Hale's majority.

Eighth District—
Alexander Jacobus,
E. A. McQuaid.

Jacobus's majority.

BLOOMFIELD.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

ST. PAUL'S P. E. CHAPEL, Dodd street,
Waukesha, Rev. O. J. Danzer, Rector; Rev.
G. C. Griswold, Asst. Rector. Services on
Sundays at 10:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.

Mr. Charles Lockwood is remodeling
the house of Chas. Hall on Bloomfield
avenue.

Rev. Mr. Bromley, of Orange, occupied
the pulpit of the Baptist Church here
last Sunday.

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Rev. Dr. Wm. Stubbart and wife
have returned from their wedding trip
to Massachusetts, and will immediately
go to housekeeping in Dr. Stubbart's
own furnished house on Oakland street,
near Tremont street.

The sea wall on the property of Mr.
Dockstader, on Bloomfield avenue,
which was washed away by the heavy
frosts in August last, is being replaced
by a substantial structure that will
not bear any ordinary flood or freshet.

The old Davis house—still the stone
house opposite the Baptist Church—is
now occupied by Prof. C. M. Davis,
County Superintendent of Schools, who
is a grandson of the founder. It is
undergoing some important repairs
under his direction.

The large frame building on Bloom-
field avenue, built and formerly occupied
by Mr. Battell, now occupied by Mr. Dockstader, is undergoing re-
pairs, and it is currently reported that
it will soon be converted into a piano-
factory manufactory.

With commendable public spirit the
Morris & Essex Railroad, has just com-
pleted a fine raised and gravelled walk
from Washington avenue to the depot
on the east side of the railroad. They
will receive the grateful thanks of all
travelers from West End. It is an ad-
mirable improvement.

From present indications the veloc-
ped mania promises to exceed any
season heretofore, and as the un-
restricted privilege of propelling a
vehicle through frequented thorough-
fares is apt to create a danger to be
provided against, some precautions
should be taken to prevent, in future, ac-
cidents similar to the one which oc-
curred on Bloomfield avenue last Saturday.

Mr. John P. Brooks, a resident of
Roselle, employed in this town, while
on his return from work Saturday
evening last, jumped from a gravel
train in full motion and dislocated his
right shoulder. He was taken to the
office of Dr. Titus, who reduced the
dislocation and relieved, somewhat, the
man's suffering. This will be a heavy
severed work after several months
non-employment.

Last Saturday morning a horse at-
tached to a wagon from Newark, loaded
with bread for the Caldwell Pen-
itentiary, became frightened at a veloc-
pede on the sidewalk, at the hotel, and
ran away, dashing against the fence
adjoining the hotel, and completely de-
molishing the iron in the vehicle. A
rail from the fence was thrust through
the dasher, into a box filled with bread
and the contents scattered in all direc-
tions. The escape of the driver and
horse from serious injury was miracu-
lous.

One of the most noticeable and
praiseworthy improvements in our
town is the filling up of the needless
space running across Washington ave-
nue and the railroad, near the depot.
It was commonly filled with stagnant
water, which could not be healthful,
and doubtless has long contributed to
the sickness that at times prevailed in
that locality. We observe that parts
of it, on private property, are still
open, to harbor every rainfall and
afflict the neighborhood with its pesti-
ficial evaporation. The owners of
the land there should have public
spirit enough to have that ditch filled
at once.

The property of the late Henrietta
Davis, on Franklin street and Oakland
avenue, which was devised to four of
her nephews and nieces, has been am-
azingly divided between themselves
giving the homestead lot to Mr. Chas.
M. Davis, as was understood to be the
expressed wish of the testatrix, though
not mentioned in the will; the two
other lots adjoining on the south, each
about 75 by 200 feet, were assigned to
Mrs. Brower and Mr. J. A. Davis, Jr.,
and the lot on Oakland avenue was as-
signed to Mrs. Lyon, wife of William
P. Lyon. Some of these lots, it is un-
derstood, will be held for a market.
They are among the most eligible of
our village plots.

The worst victim to the epizootic
which has been is Mr. Beecher, ed-
itor of the Belleville Record, who came
to this week a thorough used up
man—Arlington Journal.

The corse-pontent or editor of the
Journal must have been either drunk
or mistaken, possibly both, when he
wrote the above. The hotel is well known
and experts to be well. He has been
born in Bloomfield in two months, and
will be there soon—Essex County
Press.

Oh, no, neighbor Beecher, not drunk
but possibly mistaken. We thought it
was you and the epizootic, but you
have inclined us to the belief that it
must have been "The fellow that looks
like you," on whose sensitive nerves
the favorite "fermented spirits" had
stolen to such an extent as to make
him oblivious as to whether he was in
Bloomfield or somewhere else. We
took your word for it; and he said we
were there long enough to be pleased
with the general organization.

The Richards-Randolph wedding
still forms a subject of no little interest
in this social circle. The rich ar-
ray of elegant and costly presents, and
the departure of the favored couple,
being the theme of discussion. Among
the presents were a handsome silver

ice-pick, two goblets and a stop
boat, gifts of the Mabel Association,
of which Mr. Richards is a prominent
member; three beautiful cloaks, one a
model French time piece of exquisite
design, brooches of unique pattern,
two mounted to it, but failing to pre-
pare a suitable place, they advocated the
purchase of a lot of land on Liberty
street, belonging to Dr. J. A. Davis,
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Early in 1875 the winter morn-
ing was wet, and Willard Richards and Dr.
C. H. Bailey were appointed a committee
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On Tuesday evening last Rev. Mr.
Boggs delivered the regular weekly
lecture in the Reformed Church, the
pastor, Rev. J. P. Strong, being absent,
attending the re-union of his college
class.

The "Bun-Bar" held another of their
pleasant sojourns at the residence of
Mr. Yerexas, Woodside, last evening,
which was one of the best of the season,
though other attractions in the
own town kept many of the Belleville
men at home.

The fearful condition of the road over
the hill by the reservoir demands the
attention of the Road Board of both
counties. The late rains have caused
it to be very bad, and it is to be hoped
it will not be so bad as to totally cut it
off, and make it dangerous to
the life and limb of man and beast to go
over it.

The case of the contested Free-
holders seats, was to have been argued
before the Supreme Court yesterday,
but as nothing was heard of it, the
general opinion is that the whole thing
will end in a "fizzle." Witnesses in
the case say they have not yet been
summoned.

An attempt is being made to organize
an association of young people,
which shall have for its object the
securing of popular lectures, givings of
concerts and socials, and furnishing
other entertainments for the people
during the winter, at a price within
the reach of all. The best of success
has thus far attended their efforts, and
it is hoped that these our citizens
who may be called upon, will do all in
their power to encourage a praiseworthy
object.

The new tower house of C. E. Johnson,
Esq. is now a prominent fixture as
well as an ornament on the corner of
Park and Walnut streets.

Owing to the absence of a quorum at
the Town Committee meeting on Wed-
nesday evening, the general question
was not decided, but the result is that
the "Gospel" of St. John's and the
Psalms some 350 volumes in addition
to the 2000 volumes of the First Pres-
byterian Church, were voted to be
distributed to the people.

The Essex county Road Board are
becoming very unpopular with a large
class of our citizens who claim that
their affairs are not properly managed.

The business of G. N. McChesney,
on Bloomfield avenue, has passed into
other hands. Mr. McChesney having
made engagement with the Albany and
Susquehanna Canal Company.

At the Congregational Church on
Sunday last, in place of the regular
service, was held the first of a series of
prayer and prayer meetings, which was
the result of the efforts of the First Pres-
byterian Church.

The first neighborhood prayer meet-
ing for the season, was held on Friday
evening last, at the residence of Mr.
Henry Russell, on Midland Avenue.
There was a large attendance, including
all denominations; and the devotional
service was well attended and the exercises
were of unusual interest.

The first press for the new label
factory will arrive to day, and will be
at work within a week. Six or seven
more are to follow, and as soon as they
are in position and operation, the fac-
tory will present a busy appearance.

These meetings will be held in West
End weekly, during the winter, at the
various residences, as invited, on Friday
evenings at 8 o'clock.

THE SOCIAL INSTITUTIONS.

THE MARLBOROUGH ASSOCIATION.

Prominent among our local institu-
tions, and one which deserves more
attention than it has received in a brief
newspaper article, is that known as the
"Mabel Association." Although an
organization of some seven years stand-
ing, it has not, until quite lately, been
brought before the public.

Some time ago, the members of the
Mabel Association, who are a group of
young women, conceived the idea of
forming a society for the promotion<br